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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is being filed in Response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated March 24, 2009. Reconsideration and reexamination are respectfully requested in light of the amendment and remarks below.

Applicants believe no fees are due with the present Response. However, if fees are due please withdraw them from USPTO Deposit Account No. 13-1816 from which the undersigned is permitted to draw. Please associate Docket No. 1-16864 with any withdrawal.

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